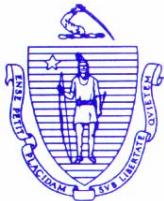




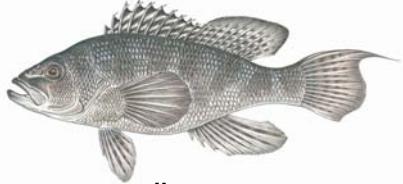
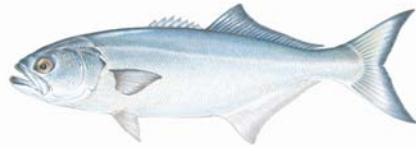
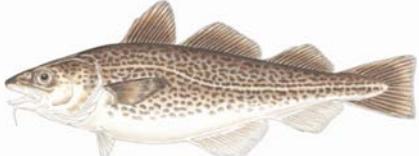
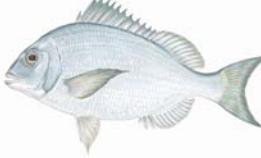
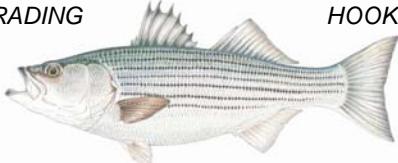
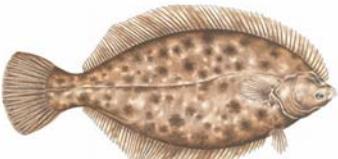
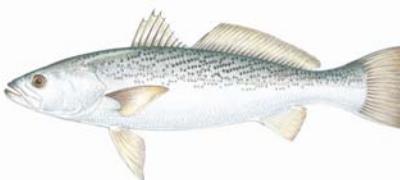
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Size & Bag Limits for Species Commonly Caught On Party/Charter Vessels in MA Waters* (as of May 2008)

BLACK SEA BASS  Season: all year Minimum Size: 12" Possession Limit: 20 fish	BLUEFISH  Season: all year Minimum Size: none Possession Limit: 10 fish
COD  Season: <u>N of Cape Cod</u> Apr 1-Oct 31 Nov 1-Mar 31 <u>S & E of Cape Cod</u> all year Minimum Size: 24" 24" 22" Possession Limit: 10 fish 2 / person (75 lb/ boat) 10 fish	SUMMER FLOUNDER (FLUKE)  Season: June 10-Aug 15 Minimum Size: 17.5" Possession Limit: 5 fish
HADDOCK  Season: all year Minimum Size: 19" Possession Limit: none	SCUP  Season: <u>Charter and Partyboat**</u> May 15-Sep 17 Minimum Size: 11" Possession Limit: 45 fish, May 15-Jun 28; 10 fish, Jun 29-Sep 17
STRIPED BASS NO HIGH-GRADING HOOK & LINE ONLY  Season: all year Minimum Size: 28" Possession Limit: 2 fish	TAUTOG  Season: all year Minimum Size: 16" Possession Limit: 3 fish
WINTER FLOUNDER  Season: <u>N of Cape Cod</u> all year April 26-May 25; Sep 27-Oct 26 <u>S & E of Cape Cod</u> Minimum Size: 12" 12" Possession Limit: 8 fish 4 fish	WEAKFISH  Season: all year Minimum Size: 16" Possession Limit: 10 fish

* Other rules apply for many species. Visit our Website at: www.mass.gov/marinefisheries or call 617-626-1520

** Different rules apply for private anglers/boats